



## Green Care's tree planting, an update

Over the years, Green Care Association has been using funds from Green Ink<sup>1</sup> to nurse a variety of trees and planting in many sites and also making them available to interested persons and institutions ready to plant. Some of the funds have been used to improve nursery site, and to buy basic equipment including shovels, polythene pots (for planting tree seedlings) and a wheel barrow. Over 550,000 trees have been nursed



successfully within five years, most of which are fruit, timber and other trees of economic value. The years 2019 to 2021 have been very difficult for us to achieve much because of security concerns, but we improved the planting and also donations this year, mostly fruit trees. The difficulty is that we are still to visit our partner forest

sites to improve on the planting. In 2019 and 2020, we planted trees in another forest site '**Kishoor Forest**', which we are trying to develop as well. Green Care Association remains very grateful for Green Ink donations to produce a carbon sink over the years, which has enabled us to continuously nurse and plant thousands of trees as part of our little contribution to **nature-based solutions** (NbS) and **ecosystem-based adaptation** (EbA) to climate change.

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<sup>1</sup> Green Ink ([www.greenink.co.uk](http://www.greenink.co.uk)) donates its carbon-offsetting funds to Green Care for tree planting.